

Lesson 28: Verbs/Identifying the Verb

- A. Identify (person, number, tense) in class or with a classmate the verbs from Jn 8:12-20 listed in §432. Check your answers against the analysis of these verbs in §§432.1-57.
- B. Locate and identify the verbs in Jn 8:21-30. Again, your answers may be compared with the analysis in §§433.1-18.
- C. Greek verbs consist of prefixes, tense stems and suffixes (§§431.1-52; cf. §§355-3550.3). The particular combination of these components in each verb indicates its person, number, tense, voice and mood (§0304ff). Divide the following indicative verbs from Jn 8:31-38 into their components, as illustrated below:

	<i>aug. or redup.</i>	<i>tense base</i>	<i>tense sign</i>	<i>theme vowel</i>	<i>pers. ending</i>
ex.: ἐπίστευσαν (8:30)	ἐ	πίστευ	σ	α	ν
1. ἔλεγεν (31)					
2. ἐστε (31)					
3. γνῶσεσθε (32)					
4. ἐλευθερώσει (32)					
5. ἀπεκρίθησαν (33)					
6. ἐσμεν (33)					
7. δεδουλεύκαμεν (33)					
8. λέγεις (33)					
9. γενήσεσθε (33)					
10. ἀπεκρίθη (34)					
11. λέγω (34)					

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12. ἐστίν (34)					
13. μένει (35)					
14. ἔσεσθε (36)					
15. ζητεῖτε (37)					
16. χωρεῖ (37)					
17. ἐώρακα (38)					
18. λαλῶ (38)					
19. ἠκούσατε (38)					
20. ποιεῖτε (38)					

D. *Review.* Identify the following *nouns* (gender, number, case) and *verbs* (person, number, tense) from Jn 8:39-47:

	<i>Gender/ Person</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Case/ Tense</i>
1. εἶπαν (39)	_____	_____	_____
2. τὰ ἔργα (39)	_____	_____	_____
3. ἐποιεῖτε (39)	_____	_____	_____
4. τὴν ἀλήθειαν (40)	_____	_____	_____
5. λελάληκα (40)	_____	_____	_____
6. ἐποίησεν (40)	_____	_____	_____
7. γεγεννημέθα (41)	_____	_____	_____
8. ἓνα πατέρα (41)	_____	_____	_____
9. ἔχομεν (41)	_____	_____	_____
10. ἠγαπᾶτε (42)	_____	_____	_____
11. ἐκ τοῦ θεοῦ (42)	_____	_____	_____

	<i>Gender/ Person</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Case/ Tense</i>
12. ἐλήλυθα (42)	_____	_____	_____
13. ἀπέστειλεν (42)	_____	_____	_____
14. τὸν λόγον τὸν ἐμὸν (43)	_____	_____	_____
15. τὰς ἐπιθυμίας (44)	_____	_____	_____
16. ἐν τῇ ἀληθείᾳ (44)	_____	_____	_____
17. ἔστηκεν (44)	_____	_____	_____
18. τὸ ψεῦδος (44)	_____	_____	_____
19. τὰ ῥήματα (47)	_____	_____	_____
20. ἀκούετε (47)	_____	_____	_____

E. *Review.* The following selections from the Ten Commandments are taken from the Septuagint, the Greek version of the Hebrew Scriptures (Exod 20:1, 2, 4, 11a, 12). Fill in the blanks, taking into account the signals provided by the context and the notes following the passage:

¹καὶ ἐλάλη_____ (1) κύριος πάντας τοὺς λόγ_____ (2)
τούτους λέγων ²_____ (3) εἰμι κύριος _____ (4) θεός σου,
ὅστις ἐξήγαγόν σε ἐκ γῆς Αἰγύπτου ἐξ οἴκου δουλεί_____ (5)....
⁴οὐ ποιή_____ (6) σεαυτῷ εἰδωλον οὐδὲ _____ (7) ὁμοίωμα,
ὅσα ἐν τῷ οὐραν_____ (8) ἄνω καὶ ὅσα ἐν _____ (9) γῆ κάτω καὶ
ὅσα ἐν _____ (10) ὕδασιν ὑποκάτω τῆς γ_____ (11).... ¹¹ἐν
γὰρ ἕξ ἡμέραις ἐποίησεν κύριος τὸν οὐραν_____ (12) καὶ τὴν
γῆν καὶ _____ (13) θάλασσαν καὶ _____ (14) τὰ ἐν αὐτοῖς
καὶ _____ (15) τῇ ἡμέρᾳ _____ (16) ἑβδομῃ.... ¹²τίμα
τὸν πατ_____ (17) σου καὶ τὴν μητέρα, ἵνα εὖ σοι γένηται,

καὶ ἓνα μακροχρόνιος γέννη ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς τῆς ἀγαθ_____ (18),
 _____ (19) κύριος ὁ θεός σου δίδω_____ (20) σοι.

Notes:

- (1) 3. sing. aor. act. of λαλέω
- (2) ὁ λόγος
- (3) 1. sing. personal pronoun
- (4) masc. sing. nom. article
- (5) ἡ δουλεία
- (6) 2. sing. fut. act. of ποιέω
- (7) neut. sing. gen. of πᾶς
- (8) ὁ οὐρανός
- (9) fem. sing. dat. article
- (10) neut. plur. dat. article
- (11) ἡ γῆ
- (12) ὁ οὐρανός
- (13) fem. sing. acc. article
- (14) neut. plur. acc. of πᾶς
- (15) 3. sing. aor. act. of καταπαύω
- (16) article, second attributive position (§127.2)
- (17) ὁ πατήρ
- (18) ἀγαθός, -ή, -όν
- (19) rel. pron. (antecedent: τῆς γῆς)
- (20) 3. sing. pres. act. of δίδωμι